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PRESIDENT: All rise for the morning prayer.

CHAPLAIN: Prayer.

PRESIDENT: The Legislature will come to order. Roll call. Record your presence.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Newell asked to be excused until he arrives. Senator Brennan excused all day. Senator Mills until he arrives, and Senator Kennedy would like to be excused all day. Senator Carsten all day.

PRESIDENT: Have you all recorded your presence? Make the record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Quorum present, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Corrections to the Journal.

CLERK: I have none, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Are there corrections from the floor? Seeing none, the Journal shall stand. Notices, reports and announcements.

CLERK: Mr. President, I have the lobbyist registrations and re-registrations from February 3 through February 9. That will be inserted in the Legislature Journal in full. Mr. President, your Committee on Judiciary, Chairman Senator Barnett, to whom was referred LB 920 instructs me to report the same to the Legislature with the recommendation it be advanced to General File with amendments, 455 indefinitely postponed, 597 indefinitely postponed, 616 indefinitely postponed, 775 indefinitely postponed. Mr. President, your Committee on Enrollment and Review respectfully reports that we have carefully examined and reviewed LR 63 and recommend that same be placed on Select File with amendments, LB 21 replaced on Select File, LB 109 replaced on Select File with amendments, LB 327 replaced on Select File with amendments, LB 501 replaced on Select File with amendments, LB 501 replaced on Select File with amendments, and LB 660 replaced on Select File with amendments, Senator DeCamp offers amendments to LB 386. He asks that they be printed in the Journal. Mr. President, Senator Kennedy asks unanimous consent to print amendments to LB 121 in the Legislative Journal.

PRESIDENT: Chair recognizes the Speaker.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Mr. President, I move that the President appoint a committee to wait upon the Governor and escort him to the Chamber for his State of the State address.

PRESIDENT: That will not be until 10 o'clock, but the Chair will appoint the following committee for that purpose: yourself, Mr. Speaker, Senator Marvel, Senator Hasebroock, Senator Warner, Senator Kremer and Senator Duis. If any of you are preoccupied at that time, please advise the Chair. We go now to motions. We will stay on this for about 45 minutes. It will be taken up again, for another 15 minutes, after the Governor's State of the State and budget message. We will be at ease at about five minutes to ten o'clock. The Clerk has advised me that those bills shown under item 6 of your agenda have not been advanced to Select File. So it will be necessary to advance them so that they can be returned for the specific amendment. We'll commence with LB 109. Senator Cullan, do you want to move to advance it?